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1. At the Mathias Thesen Werft (shipyard) in Wismar, the former PB 4 (PLAUBASA) was converted into a fishing tender to attend 25 fishing vessels in the Atlantic and to take on their catches. She was to carry a crew of 45, an additional group of 26 to attend the fishing fleet, and 142 fish-processing workers.
2. After conversion, the ship was to be driven by an LES 11.5-type 2,800 hp steam engine of 110 rpm., giving her a speed of 12 knots. The two oil-burning boilers were to produce an hourly volume of 12 tons of steam at a pressure of 16 kilograms per square centimeter above atmospheric (a little less than 230 lbs/sq. in.). The duration of each voyage was to be 45 days.

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